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Childhood Lead Poisoning, Screening, and Lead Abatement Act

Vt. Stat. Ann. tit. 38 §Â§ 1751-1757 (1998).

This act establishes a training and certification program for lead hazard abatement workers within the Department of Health. The act also provides for blood lead screening upon request, inspects and tests for child care facilities, and ensures that lead-based hazards are disclosed prior to sale or lease of housing built before 1978.

Requires owners and managers of rental properties and child care centers to have essential maintenance practices performed by certified contractors in target properties. The act provides for a housing registry, describes essential maintenance practices, and provides for legal incentives for owners to perform the hazard control activities. It also requires insurers to provide liability coverage of lead-based paint hazards.